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 DATE : 11 APRIL 1960

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SQUARE DEAL

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1. PRELIMINARY ESTIMATES ON SUCCESS OPERATION SQUARE DEAL RUNNING BETWEEN 65 AND 75 PERCENT OVERALL WITH WHATEVER LOSS OCCURRED CHARGEABLE TO MISSION WX. HOWEVER, COVERAGE OF PRIMARIES APPEARS HAVE BEEN QUITE GOOD IN THE MAIN. ALL MISSION AND SUPPORT ACFT HAVE RETURNED TOTAL ELAPSED TIME WHOLE OPERATION WAS 56 HOURS 20 MINS. HQS EXTENDS WELL-DESERVED WARMEST CONGRATULATIONS TO AND STAFF, AS WELL AS TO FOR SMOOTHLY FUNCTIONING MISSION SUPPORT. 25X1 25X1 25X1

2. WILL RECALL GENERAL FRAMEWORK OPERATION GRAND SLAM, FOR WHICH SQUARE DEAL WAS SUBSTITUTED WHEN NEGOTIATIONS WITH REGARDING USE COULD NOT BE COMPLETED WITHIN PERIOD APPROVAL. INDICATIONS NOW ARE THAT MAY WELL AGREE USE ON AND AFTER 19 APRIL. IF HIGH LEVEL U.S. APPROVAL FOR GRAND SLAM COULD BE OBTAINED, QUERY:

A. WAS SQUARE DEAL RUN WITH MINIMUM INCONVENIENCE

B. DOES FEEL TERMS OF RECENT PATHWAY APPROVAL FOR SIXTY-DAY PERIOD COULD BE INTERPRETED TO PERMIT RUNNING GRAND SLAM FROM WITHOUT REQUIREMENT RETURN TO

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C. IF FEELS IT NECESSARY SEEK CONCURRENCE AGAIN, QUERY WHAT HE FEELS CHANCES ANOTHER APPROVAL MIGHT BE, AND HOW SOON COULD BE SEEN?

3. IT OBVIOUS SOME CHANCE EXISTS IMMINENCE SUMMIT CONFERENCE MAY ADVERSELY AFFECT U.S. POLITICAL CLIMATE AS FAR AS APPROVAL OPERATE AFTER 19 APRIL CONCERNED, BUT HQS REQUIRES INFO PARA TWO ABOVE BEFORE SERIOUS ATTEMPT MADE OBTAIN SAME. PLEASE ADVISE SOONEST.

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